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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Petr Hrebejk et al.

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR META OBJECT FACILITY

REPOSITORY EVENT NOTIFICATION

Serial No.: 10/072,693 Filed: February 6, 2002

Examiner: Andy Ho Group Art Unit: 2194

Docket No.: P-6327

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005 in the above application:

- 1. Return receipt postcard;
- 2. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
- 3. Amendment (17 pages).
- No additional claims fees are required.
- The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	33	- 43	= 0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	11	- 16	= 0	x \$200.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Mul	ciple Dependent Clair	m (Enter \$290)			0.00
		To	tal of abo	ve Calculation	\$0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
····				Subtotal	\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
				TOTAL	\$ 0.00

© Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☑ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on March 29, 2006.

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Respectfully submitted,

March 29, 2006

Date of Signature

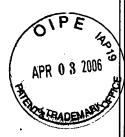
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- 1. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and
 - 2. Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

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